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Abstract: W. Leontief moved to the U.S. in the early 1930's with an offer to work at the National Bureau of Economic Research (NBER) and would later accept a position in Harvard University, where he would develop his 1936 and 1937 papers presenting the Input-Output model. At arrival at the U.S. however, Leontief would publish a (large) number of papers dealing with various other issues, mainly methodological and also theoretical. These articles are interesting and useful for understanding the theoretical background and Leontief's preoccupations had at the time, which would also influence the development of the IO model. This paper analyses a few of such early papers, which appeared in journals nowadays included in JSTOR, searching for possible connections and extension to the main creation of Leontief's.